CITY OF PALMERSTON

Notice of Special Council Meeting
to be held in Council Chambers, Civic Plaza, Palmerston
on Friday, 15 April 2016 at 8.30am

AGENDA

Audio Disclaimer
An audio recording of this meeting will be made for minute taking purposes as authorised by City of Palmerston Policy MEE3 Recording of Meetings, available on Council's Website.

1. PRESENT

2. APOLOGIES

Alderman Bunker – Apology

ACCEPTANCE OF APOLOGIES AND LEAVE OF ABSENCE

3. DEPUTATIONS / PRESENTATIONS

4. OFFICER REPORTS

4.1 Affixation of Common Seal – Freedom of Entry Scroll

5. CONFIDENTIAL REPORTS

Nil

6. CLOSURE


Ricki Bruhn
Chief Executive Officer

Any member of Council who may have a conflict of interest, or a possible conflict of interest in regard to any item of business to be discussed at a Council meeting or a Committee meeting should declare that conflict of interest to enable Council to manage the conflict and resolve it in accordance with its obligations under the Local Government Act and its policies regarding the same.
ITEM NO. 4.1  Affixation of Common Seal – Freedom of Entry Scroll

FROM: Director of Corporate and Community Services
REPORT NUMBER: 8/0855
MEETING DATE: 15 April 2016

Municipal Plan:

4. Governance & Organisation

4.2 Service

4.2 We value and encourage participation in Council activities by the community, and are committed to delivering the highest possible levels of service and community engagement

Summary:

This report recommends that Council sign and seal the official Scroll for the Freedom of Entry 8th/12th Regiment Royal Australian Artillery, Robertson Barracks being held on Saturday 16 April 2016.

General:

At a Council meeting on 12 January 2016 Council resolved:

THAT Council approve the Granting of Freedom Entry to the 8th/12th Regiment Royal Australian Artillery and the Exercising Freedom of Entry on Saturday 16 April 2016.

CARRIED 8/1789–12/01/2016

As part of the Granting of Freedom Ceremony an official scroll is presented giving the 8/12th Regiment Royal Australian Artillery the right to parade through the streets of Palmerston Central Business District (CBD) with swords drawn, bayonets fixed, drums beating, bands playing and the banner flying.

The Freedom of Entry Scroll requires the affixation of Council’s Common Seal and to be signed by the Mayor and Chief Executive Officer. A copy of the Scroll forms an attachment to this report.

Financial Implications:

Nil

Legislation / Policy:

Nil
RECOMMENDATION

1. THAT Council receives Report Number 8/0855.

2. THAT the Mayor and Chief Executive Officer be authorised to sign and seal the Official Scroll for the Freedom of Entry 8th/12th Regiment Royal Australian Artillery, Robertson Barracks.

Recommending Officer: Ben Dornier, Director of Corporate and Community Services

Any queries on this report may be directed to Ben Dornier, Director of Corporate and Community Services on telephone (08) 8935 9976 or email ben.dornier@palmerston.nt.gov.au.

Schedule of Attachments:

Attachment A: Freedom of Entry Scroll
The City of Palmerston

On the Sixteenth day of April 2016, we extend to the Commanding Officer Officers and Soldiers of the 8th/12th Regiment, Royal Australian Artillery

Greetings

Whereas many of our citizens have served with pride in your distinguished Regiment which, by its great achievements in times of peace and war, has built up honourable traditions.

The Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Palmerston at a meeting of Council on the 12th day of January 2016 have resolved, in appreciation of your great services of our Sovereign, Our Country and City, to confer upon the 8th/12th Regiment, Royal Australian Artillery by the Deed and in perpetuity, the privilege, honour and distinction of

The Freedom of the City

With the right of entry on Ceremonial Occasions in full panoply with swords drawn, bayonets fixed, drums beating, bands playing and The Banner flying and that the Common Seal of the Council be affixed to such Deed.

In Witness whereof the Common Seal of the Council was hereto affixed on the Sixteenth day of April 2016 in the presence of

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